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01377298

**System and method for an efficient dynamic multi-unit auction**  
**System und Verfahren für eine leistungsfähige und dynamische Auktion von mehreren Gegenständen**

**Systeme et methode pour une enchere multiple dynamique et efficace**

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...SPECIFICATION subprocess of step 112 of Figure 4. It illustrates an exemplary process by which a **computer** may determine whether the **auction** should continue. (Related to this will also be Figure 9b, below, which illustrates an exemplary process by which a **computer** determines whether the **auction** should continue, in a system where bidders are permitted to submit Intra-Round Bids.) Figure...

...which an item type k not yet considered is selected. In step 112a-2, a **computer** determines whether the aggregate quantity **bid** for item type k is within Ck)) of the available quantity, that is, whether: The...

...the interpretation that this is the tolerance to which the auctioneer is allowing oversell or **undersell** to occur. If the auctioneer needs to sell exactly the available quantity of item type...

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**Auction method and apparatus for electronic commerce**

**Auktionsmethode und Apparat für elektronischen Handel**

**Methode de vente aux encheres et appareil de commerce electronique**

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...SPECIFICATION is to provide a method and apparatus to enable a user to participate in several **electronic auctions** simultaneously in a controlled and coordinated manner to obtain a best price contract for goods...

...participate in risk free buying or selling of goods and services. The user may be **guaranteed** that the maximum **price** bid will not be exceeded, or a minimum price offered will not be exceeded in...

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**Auction method and apparatus for electronic commerce**

**Auktionsverfahren und Anordnung für elektronischen Handel**

**Procédé de vente aux enchères et appareil pour le commerce électronique**

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...participate in risk free buying or selling of goods and services. The user may be **guaranteed** that the maximum **price** bid will not be exceeded, or a minimum price offered will not be exceeded in...

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NEGOTIATED MATCHING SYSTEM AND METHOD

SYSTEM UND METHODE ZUM ZUSAMMENBRINGEN POTENTIELLER HANDELSPARTNER  
 BASIEREND AUF VERHANDLUNGEN

SYSTEME ET METHODE POUR METTRE EN RELATION DEUX PARTENAIRES COMMERCIAUX  
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Total word count - document B			8371
Total word count - documents A + B			8371

...SPECIFICATION of the system - if there are no intelligent nodes, storage occurs only in the matching **computer** 11).

204 - the users enters **bids** and offers including firm (non-negotiable) and soft (negotiable) parameters pertaining to the bids and offers (e.g., price, quantity, **expiration terms**, acceptable credit ranking) into the system using their remote terminals. Traders may enter bids and...

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**DIGITAL OPTIONS HAVING DEMAND-BASED, ADJUSTABLE RETURNS, AND TRADING  
EXCHANGE THEREFOR**

**OPTIONS NUMERIQUES A RETOURS AJUSTABLES BASEES SUR LA DEMANDE ET BOURSE  
D'ECHANGES COMMERCIAUX AFFERENTE**

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Claims

Claim

... the Baker Hughes Rig Count observed on a semi-annual basis.

Demand-based markets or **auctions** can be structured to offer a wide

variety of products related to power and emissions...agricultural

producers, and municipalities. For example, DBAR

contingent claims can be based on an underlying **event** defined as the

cumulative precipitation observed at **weather** stations maintained by the

National Weather Service in the Northwest catchment area,

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**ENHANCED AUCTION MECHANISM FOR ONLINE TRANSACTIONS**

**MECANISME D'ENCHERES AMELIORE POUR TRANSACTIONS EN LIGNE**

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Claims

#### Claim

1. In a **computer** device, an **online auction** system having at least one seller and at least one buyer, said auction system comprising...said rule defining programming configured to receive in conjunction with said bid offer a bid **expiration condition** for said bid offer, said rule defining programming configured to cancel said bid offer when said bid **expiration condition** is met, said rule defining programming configured to receive a sale offer from a seller...said rule defining programming configured to receive in conjunction with said sale offer a sale **expiration condition** for said sale offer, and said rule defining programming configured to cancel said sale offer when said sale **expiration condition** is met.
- 2 The auction system of claim 1, wherein the seller and the buyer...

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#### WARRANTY TRANSACTION SYSTEM AND METHOD SYSTEME DE TRANSACTION DE GARANTIES ET PROCEDE

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Detailed Description

#### Detailed Description

... package. The bid may include the type of warranty being offered, the characteristics of the **warranty**, the **price** of the **warranty**, and any other appropriate information. The providers may communicate the **bid** directly to customer **computer** 20 or to warranty transaction system 30 for distribution to the customer.

Once the customer...providers include the features and coverage of the warranty offered by the provider and the **price** at which the **warranty** is offered. Based on these **bids**, the customer using customer **computer** 20 accepts one or more of the warranty packages. The customer may then communicate the...

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#### DATA PROCESSING SYSTEM FOR CONDUCTING A MODIFIED ON-LINE AUCTION SYSTEME DE TRAITEMENT DE DONNEES UTILE POUR REALISER UNE VENTE AUX ENCHERES EN-LIGNE MODIFIEE

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Claims

#### Detailed Description

... auctions, bidders compete against each other for items. No payment for bidding is required. No **price** is **guaranteed** to the seller, except for a 1 0 reserved auction situation in which the seller...

...can become heated and the price could exceed the market value of the item. Additionally, **on - line auctions** tend to be conducted over a number of days, thereby, reducing the entertainment value.

. Mercata...

Claim

... search report

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(57) Abstract: A data processing system

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DATA PROCESSING SYSTEM FOR CONDUCTING

A MODIFIED **ON - LINE AUCTION**

CROSS-REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATION

This Application claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application...

...Invention

The present invention is directed to a data processing system for conducting a modified **on - line auction**.

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Description of the Related Art

The Internet's impact on the way we...auctions, bidders compete against each other for items. No payment for bidding is required. No **price** is **guaranteed** to the seller, except for a 1 0 reserved auction situation in which the seller...

...can become heated and the price could exceed the market value of the item. Additionally, **on - line auctions** tend to be conducted over a number of days, thereby, reducing the entertainment value. Mercata...

...price for selling an item in the computer system and receiving a request at the **computer** system to purchase rights to **bid** for the item. The request to purchase rights to **bid** is fulfilled using the **computer** system. The computer system determines the sum of purchases of the rights to bid...

...to the Internet (or other network) can access the server and participate in the modified **online auction**.

The present invention can be accomplished using hardware, software, or a combination of both hardware...

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**SCHEDULING AND PLANNING BEFORE AND PROACTIVE MANAGEMENT DURING MAINTENANCE AND SERVICE IN A NETWORK-BASED SUPPLY CHAIN ENVIRONMENT**

**PROGRAMMATION ET PLANIFICATION ANTICIPEE, ET GESTION PROACTIVE AU COURS DE LA MAINTENANCE ET DE L'ENTRETIEN D'UN ENVIRONNEMENT DU TYPE CHAINE D'APPROVISIONNEMENT RESEAUEE**

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Detailed Description

Detailed Description

... time to site integration, rapid integration of acquisition,  
duplication reduction, procurement rationalization, transportation  
rationalization, and **reduced** inventories. In this illustrative  
embodiment, the Installation Management component may also include the  
following benefits...the amount of electronic advertising they receive  
with their electronic content.

In addition, providers of **electronic** advertisements would be able to  
subsidize the cost of electronic content for end users. The...public  
auctions

Supports multiple auction formats (e.g. Dutch, Reserve)

Allows tracking and analysis of **auction** histories

The **electronic** commerce component of the present invention may include  
an auction component for permitting a...was not perfect. Indeed, in  
recent years, some of the problems in a open outcry **auction** forum have  
been amplified by the vastly increased level of trading now undertaken in  
the...offers for a defined class of instruments. These various positions  
are displayed on the **computer**

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Importantly, a **bid** and offer are commitments--once placed, a bid can be  
"hit" and an offer can...

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00806382

METHOD FOR AFFORDING A MARKET SPACE INTERFACE BETWEEN A PLURALITY OF  
MANUFACTURERS AND SERVICE PROVIDERS AND INSTALLATION MANAGEMENT VIA A  
MARKET SPACE INTERFACE

PROCEDE DE MISE A DISPOSITION D'UNE INTERFACE D'ESPACE DE MARCHÉ ENTRE UNE  
PLURALITE DE FABRICANTS ET DES FOURNISSEURS DE SERVICES ET GESTION  
D'UNE INSTALLATION VIA UNE INTERFACE D'ESPACE DE MARCHÉ

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... in  
accordance with a preferred embodiment;  
Figure 28 is a block diagram of an exemplary **computer** system in  
accordance with a preferred  
embodiment;  
Figure 29 illustrates the CDR and PNR call...

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SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR VIRTUAL RENTAL FLEET, MODELING A SIMULATED FLEET OF  
ASSETS AND DISPOSING OF ASSETS  
SYSTEME ET PROCEDE DE LOCATION VIRTUELLE D'UNE FLOTTE DE BIENS, LA  
MODELISATION D'UNE FLOTTE DE BIENS SIMULEE ET LA MISE A DISPOSITION DE  
CES BIENS

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Claims

Claim

... Data Including Maintenance History Data 168  
From Input Data From A First User Of An **Electronic** Market  
170  
Generating A **BID** Definition From The Input Data  
Storing The Asset Specification Data And BID Definition 172  
In...

...Make/Model: Applicat on  
M Rating:  
Capacity: Condition:  
FuelType: PM Hours:  
Tire Type: ---- Mast Height:  
**Warranty** Orig. Equip.  
Months: **Cost** :  
**Warranty** Orig. Hour  
Hours: Meter:  
Asset Type: Power:  
Location: F .... Mast Type:  
Tilt: Attachments:1  
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**METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR TRANSACTIONS OFFERING WITHIN ELECTRONICALLY BASED  
MARKETPLACES**

**PROCEDE ET SYSTEME POUR OFFRES DETRANSCTIONS SUR DES MARCHES ELECTRONIQUES**

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Detailed Description

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... including bidder rating, time line, price, geographic location, and

. other like variables.

Furthermore, unlike prior **on - line auction** marketplaces, a seller can choose to end the sale at any time without selecting a...

...may vary in price and time duration. For example, a buyer may offer a lower **price guaranteed** over a longer period of time, or a higher **price guaranteed** for a short period of time. A seller 1 1 6 may respond to these...

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METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR AUTHENTICATING USERS WHEN CONDUCTING COMMERCIAL TRANSACTIONS USING A COMPUTER

PROCEDE ET SYSTEME D'AUTHENTIFICATION D'UTILISATEURS LORS DE LA CONDUITE PAR CEUX-CI DE TRANSACTIONS COMMERCIALES AU MOYEN D'UN ORDINATEUR

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Detailed Description

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... disk drives) The memory and the storage devices are computer-readable media that may contain **computer** instructions that implement the **auction** system of the present invention. The client computers may use a browser to access various web pages @, via the Internet. The server **computer** implements the **auction** system of the present invention. The auction system includes a server engine 504, a submit...

...embodiment of the present invention. The process expiration selection component controls the setting of the **expiration condition** and time period by either a user or an administrator. The restart expiration component restarts...

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**USER-DEFINED DYNAMIC COLLABORATIVE ENVIRONMENTS**  
**ENVIRONNEMENTS A COLLABORATION DYNAMIQUE DEFINIS PAR L'UTILISATEUR**

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BY KG KZ MD RU TJ TM AT BE CH CY DE DK ES FI FR GB GR IE IT LU MC NL PT  
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... Transaction EagiM

A Dutch auction, like a standard auction, involves the sale of a single **item** or 8 **batch** with fixed specifications. There is one **seller**, and **many** potential buyers. The seller sets the prices, ideally higher than any buyer's maximum bid...

...first buyer in to accept the price. In the physical world (as opposed to the **online** world), **Dutch auctions** are rarely if ever run 3 3 concurrently. In a live trading room, it could...

...auction is relatively simple to implement in an electronic environnient. There are, at present, no **online** Ducth **Auctions** of which the inventors are aware.

1. Enter and maintain a framework for catalog

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**NEGOTIATING PLATFORM**

**PLATE-FORME DE NEGOCIATION**

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Claims

Claim

... For a given car, attributes such as color and engine size are  
non-negotiable while **price** and **warranty** period are negotiable. The  
seller first -tries to generate a counter offer by operating an...

...to eCommerce, resource allocation and interpersonal or inter  
organizational negotiations. We cover:

a I -N **negotiations** ( **auctions** and **reverse auctions** )

0 1 -I (hurrian-fike) **negotiations**

0 Profiles for 1-1 negotiations

We categorize the handling of intentions into the following...The  
auctioneer then verifies the deal d. In ewe of disagreement, the winner  
and the **auctioneer** need to further **negotiate** on this deal in a  
one-to-one fashion or affline.

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**APPARATUS FOR AND METHOD OF IMPLEMENTING BUSINESS TRANSACTIONS  
DISPOSITIF ET PROCEDE DE MISE EN OEUVRE DE TRANSACTIONS COMMERCIALES**

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... the transaction (sometimes referred to herein as "Negotiable Bid  
Issues (NBIs)"). NBI issues such as **price**, quantity, quality, delivery,  
**warranty**, payment terms, or any known parameter impacting the parties  
in the transaction may be explicitly resolved (e.g., **auctioned**,  
**negotiated**, etc.), or implicitly resolved through the use of offer or  
bid premiums, discounts, etc. NBI...

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**METHODS AND APPARATUS FOR BROKERING TRANSACTIONS  
PROCEDE ET DISPOSITIF DE COURTAGE TRANSACTIONNEL**

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... such a group. When an 2 0 agreement is reached on any one of the **bids**  
or quote solicitations, all other **negotiations** for the products in the  
group are automatically terminated. According to various embodiments,  
such a mutually exclusive group can correspond to a **variety** of **product**  
- **seller combinations** . That is, a mutually exclusive group can  
identify one product and multiple sellers, multiple products...